

Plot and Discussion Questions Chapter 9 and 10
To Kill a Mockingbird

Directions: Answer the following in complete sentences, using the question in the sentence. Follow directions on assignment sheet for Literature papers.

Plot Questions: Chapter 9

1. The first eight chapters focused around Boo. In this chapter were introduced to another plot - one involving Tom Robinson. Explain who Tom Robinson was and his relationship to Atticus Finch.
2. Who did the Finch family visit at Christmas?
3. What do the children receive from Atticus for Christmas?
4. What does Francis call Atticus?
5. Why is Atticus given this name?
6. What does Scout confide in Uncle Jack?
7. What did Atticus mean by "Maycomb's usual disease"?

Plot Questions: Chapter 10

8. Atticus gave the children air rifles and with them some very important advice. Relate that advice and explain the significance of the mockingbird?
9. At the beginning of the chapter the children seem to be somewhat ashamed of Atticus. Why?
10. Who do the children see coming up the road?
11. What happened in this chapter to change the children's opinion of Atticus?